Carjacking on east side of Lafayette

Lafayette Police are looking for suspect

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LAFAYETTE, Ind. (WLFI) - The Lafayette Police Department is investigating a carjacking that occurred at approximately 9:30 p.m., Saturday, in the 200 block of Fairington Court on the east side of Lafayette. Police say an elderly man was pulled from his silver 2004 Pontiac Grand Am at gunpoint after parking his car in the parking lot. The victim of the robbery was not injured.

The suspect was described as a male approximately 5' 8" tall and of slender build. He is wearing a dark hooded sweatshirt and a mask over his face.

The suspect fled the area with the vehicle and is still at large. Lafayette Police are looking for the 2004 silver Grand Am with an Indiana Purple Heart license plate # 601.

Anyone with information regarding this crime is encouraged to contact the Lafayette Police Department at (765) 807-1200 or the WeTip Hotline at (800) 78-CRIME.